

Worship Guide 1/25/2026

Call to Worship

Not to us, O LORD, not to us, but to your name give glory, for the sake of your steadfast love and your faithfulness!

Psalm 115:1

Worshiping God by Singing

Not Unto Us O Lord Of Heaven

Not unto us, O Lord of heav'n,
but unto you be glory giv'n, hallelujah!
In love and truth you do fulfill
the counsels of your sovereign will, hallelujah!

Though nations fail your pow'r to own,
yet you do reign, and you alone, hallelujah!
Glorify the Lamb! Hallelujah!
Honor to the King! Hallelujah!

Let Israel trust in God alone,
the Lord whose grace and pow'r are known, hallelujah!
To him your full allegiance yield,
and he will be your help and shield, hallelujah!

All those who fear him God will bless,
his saints have proved his faithfulness, hallelujah!
Glorify the Lamb! Hallelujah!
Honor to the King! Hallelujah!

All you that fear him and adore,
the Lord increase you more and more, hallelujah!
Both great and small who him confess,
you and your children he will bless, hallelujah!

Yes, we will ever bless his name,
praise you the Lord, his praise proclaim, hallelujah!
Glorify the Lamb! Hallelujah!
Honor to the King! Hallelujah!

Not unto us, O Lord of heav'n,
but unto you be glory giv'n, hallelujah!

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Worshiping God by Confessing Our Sins

Father, we confess that we do not see ourselves as we ought. We are often excessively confident in our own sufficiency. We habitually trust our own wisdom. We consistently overestimate our own abilities, resources, and strength. We fail to acknowledge that in reality we are weak, poor, wretched, and blind. Forgive us and cleanse us in Christ. By the work of your Spirit, cause us to see ourselves rightly. Open our eyes to see fully our constant and desperate need of you. Teach us to find your strength in our weakness, your wealth in our need, your freedom in yielding to your truth. And show us that your grace in Christ Jesus is greater than all our sins.

Amen.

Worshiping God by Confessing Our Faith

I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

Galatians 2:20

Worshiping God by Singing

Yet Not I, But Through Christ in Me

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer
There is no more for heaven now to give
He is my joy, my righteousness, and freedom
My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to his
Oh how strange and divine, I can sing: all is mine!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

The night is dark but I am not forsaken
For by my side, the Savior He will stay
I labor on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need, His power is displayed

To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley He will lead
Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven
The future sure, the price it has been paid
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
And He was raised to overthrow the grave

To this I hold, my sin has been defeated
Jesus now and ever is my plea
Oh the chains are released, I can sing: I am free!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus
For He has said that He will bring me home
And day by day I know He will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus
All the glory evermore to Him
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:
Yet not I, but through Christ in me!

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Prayer

Missionary of the Week:	Young Life
Community Church of the Week:	Bethesda Church of God Rev. Al Sims
Presbytery Church of the Week:	Andrews Presbyterian Church Rev. Mark Horne

Worshiping God by Hearing His Word

Sermon: *Grow in the Grace and Knowledge of Jesus*

¹⁸ But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity.
Amen.

2 Peter 3:18

Followers of Christ are called to _____.

Our growth is to be in the _____ and _____ of _____.

Because he is our Lord and Savior, growth is not merely _____; it is _____.

At the same time, growth in Christ isn't _____ because the God who _____ our conformity to Christ is the same God who _____ of Christ-likeness.

So let's _____ to Jesus as we _____ in him.

Worshiping God by Singing

May the Mind of Christ My Savior

May the mind of Christ my Savior
live in me from day to day,
by his love and pow'r controlling
all I do and say.

May the Word of God dwell richly
in my heart from hour to hour,
so that all may see I triumph
only through his pow'r.

May the peace of God my Father
rule my life in everything,
that I may be calm to comfort
sick and sorrowing.

May the love of Jesus fill me
as the waters fill the sea;
him exalting, self abasing,
this is victory.

May his beauty rest upon me
as I seek the lost to win,
and may they forget the channel,
seeing only him.

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Benediction

May you grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity. Amen.

2 Peter 3:18